

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 12, 16-18, 21, 24 and 28-30, amend claims 11, 22 and 25-27, and add new claims 31-43, as follows:

Claims 1-10 (Cancelled).

Claim 11 (Currently Amended) A cosmetic composition for eyelashes comprising: polypropylene fibers having a thickness of from 0.1 denier to 12 denier, and a length of from 0.1 mm to 3 mm, wherein a surface of the polypropylene fibers is treated with silica; and an oil soluble resin.

Claim 12 (Cancelled).

Claim 13 (Previously Presented) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the polypropylene fibers have a length of from 0.5 mm to 3 mm.

Claim 14 (Previously Presented) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the polypropylene fibers are present in an amount ranging from 0.1 wt. % to 10 wt. %.

Claim 15 (Previously Presented) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the polypropylene fibers are present in an amount ranging from 0.5 wt. % to 5 wt. %.

Claim 16-18 (Cancelled).

Claim 19 (Previously Presented) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the oil soluble resin is present in an amount ranging from 0.5 wt. % to 20 wt. %.

Claim 20 (Previously Presented) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the oil soluble resin is present in an amount ranging from 1 wt. % to 15 wt. %.

Claim 21 (Cancelled).

Claim 22 (Currently Amended) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the oil soluble resin is one or more oil soluble resins selected from the group consisting of candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 35°C to 55°C, pentaerythrityl rosinat, trimethylsiloxyl silicate, decamethylcyclopentasiloxane, polyisobutylene and polyvinylisobutyl ether.

Claim 23 (Previously Presented) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 35°C to 55°C.

Claim 24 (Cancelled).

Claim 25 (Currently Amended) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 40°C to 48°C.

Claim 26 (Currently Amended) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 40°C to 41°C.

Claim 27 (Currently Amended) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 11, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 47°C to 48°C.

Claims 28-30 (Cancelled).

Claim 31 (New) A cosmetic composition for eyelashes comprising:

0.5 wt. % to 5 wt. % of polypropylene fibers having a thickness of from 0.1 denier to 12 denier, and a length of from 0.1 mm to 3 mm; and

1 wt. % to 15 wt. % of an oil soluble resin, wherein the oil soluble resin is one or more oil soluble resins selected from the group consisting of candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 35°C to 55°C, pentaerythrityl rosinat, trimethylsiloxysilicate, decamethylcyclopentasiloxane, polyisobutylene and polyvinylisobutyl ether.

Claim 32 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 31, wherein the polypropylene fibers have a length of from 0.5 mm to 3 mm.

Claim 33 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 31, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 35°C to 55°C.

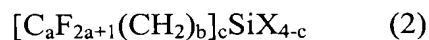
Claim 34 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 31, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 40°C to 48°C.

Claim 35 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 31, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 40°C to 41°C.

Claim 36 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 31, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 47°C to 48°C.

Claim 37 (New) A cosmetic composition for eyelashes comprising:

0.5 wt. % to 5 wt. % of polypropylene fibers having a thickness of from 0.1 denier to 12 denier, and a length of from 0.1 mm to 3 mm, wherein a surface of the polypropylene fibers is treated with 5 wt. % to 10 wt. % of a perfluoroalkylsilane compound according to the following general formula (2):



wherein a is 4, b is 2, c is 1 and X is $-OCH_2CH_3$; and

1 wt. % to 15 wt. % of an oil soluble resin, wherein the oil soluble resin is a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 35°C to 55°C.

Claim 38 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 37, wherein the polypropylene fibers have a length of from 0.5 mm to 3 mm.

Claim 39 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 37, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 40°C to 48°C.

Claim 40 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 37, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 40°C to 41°C.

Claim 41 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 37, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises a candelilla resin obtained from fractionation and having a softening point of from 47°C to 48°C.

Claim 42 (New) A cosmetic composition for eyelashes comprising:

0.5 wt. % to 5 wt. % of polypropylene fibers having a thickness of from 0.1 denier to 12 denier, and a length of from 0.1 mm to 3 mm, wherein a surface of the polypropylene fibers is treated with 5 wt. % to 10 wt. % of a perfluoroalkyl phosphate ester • diethanolamine salt, wherein the perfluoroalkyl group has from 3 to 21 carbon atoms, which may be straight or branched; and

1 wt. % to 15 wt. % of an oil soluble resin, wherein the oil soluble resin comprises pentaerythrityl rosinate and polyisobutylene.

Claim 43 (New) The cosmetic composition for eyelashes according to claim 42, wherein the polypropylene fibers have a length of from 0.5 mm to 3 mm.